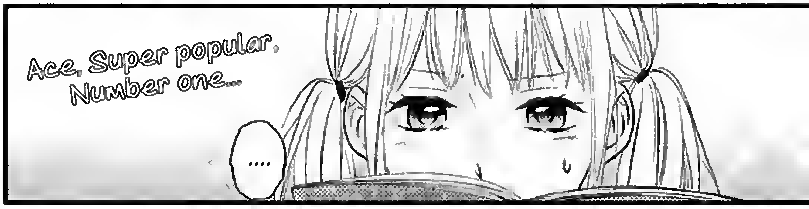
PERIOD 7「SHOOTING WISH」

...I WONDER WHAT THAT MEANT

"I DEFINITELY WON'T LOSE... IN VARIOUS ASPECTS!"
"REMEMBER THAT."

ASAKURA-KUN CAN REALLY DO SOME UNEXPECTED THINGS SOMETIMES
ASAKURA TOWA
LET'S GO HOME TOGETHER, NEXT TIME
AND I END UP EXPECTING THINGS TO HAPPEN.
HIS FACE WAS SO CLOSE...
CLATTER, CLATTER
MAYBE THERE WASN'T ANY MEANING BEHIND IT. AM I EXPECTING THINGS TOO MUCH!?
...NO WAIT,
IN THE END, WE STILL HAVEN'T GONE HOME TOGETHER!
I SHOULDN'T GET TOO EXCITED!
I'VE GOT TO MAKE SURE I DON'T EXPECT THINGS
YEAH

IT'S AYA-CHAN ...!
エースで4番
大注月の高校生No.1ガード
風城高校2年
神山 亜哉
!
バスケットFAN
AH
THIS IS...


Ace, Super popular, Number one...
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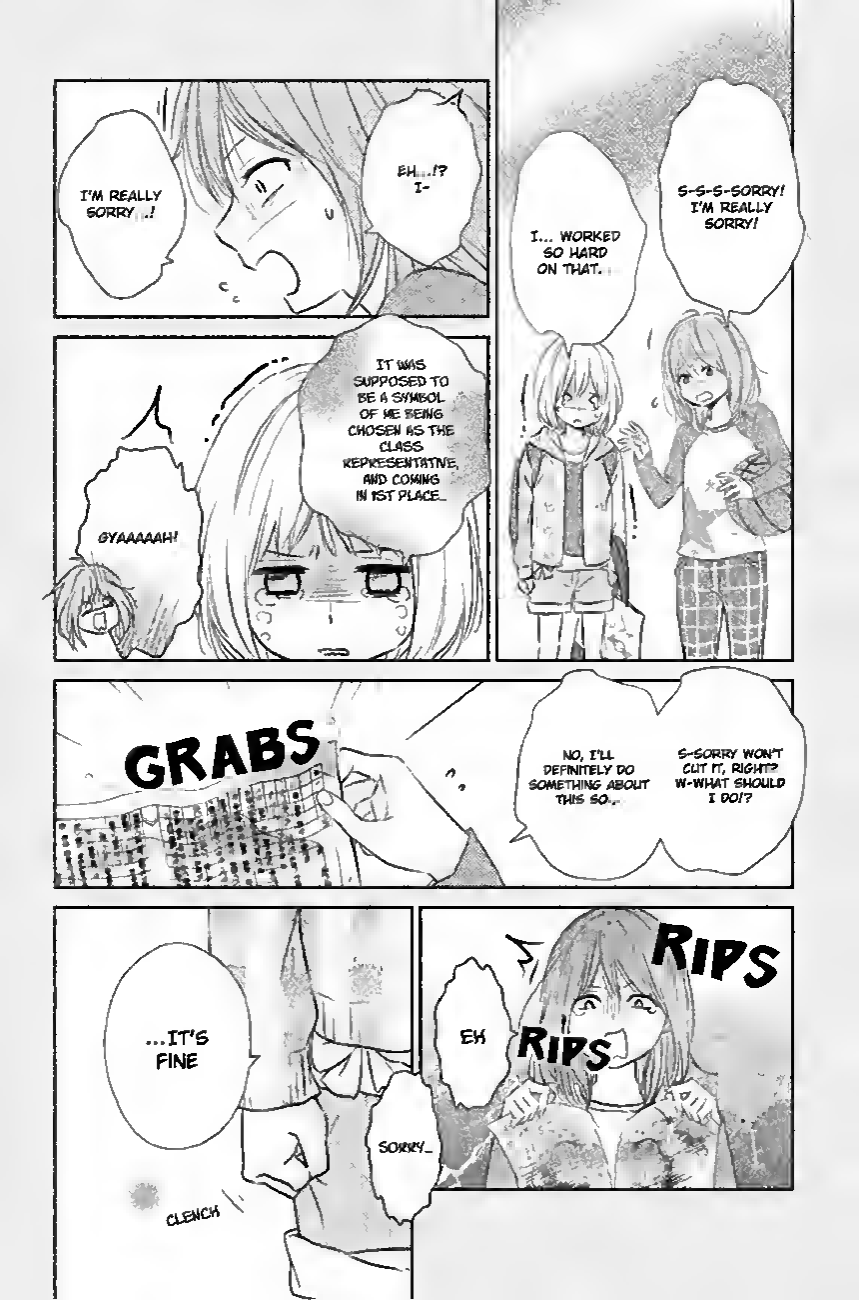
I DO KNOW THAT HE'S PRETTY AMAZING ..
I'M NOT THAT FAMILIAR WITH BASKETBALL BUT,
AH, IS THAT THE MAGAZINE THOSE BOYS FORGOT HERE?
THEN I'LL GO CLEAN UP OUTSIDE WHILE THERE AREN'T THAT MANY CUSTOMERS!
DON'T WORRY, I'VE GOT TIME ON MY HANDS
AH...
SORRY, I KNOW I'M IN THE MIDDLE OF WORK!

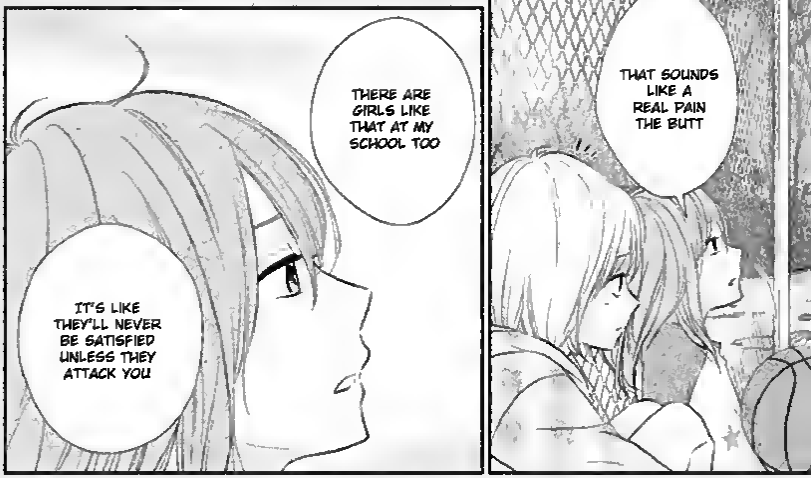
WHOOSH
AYA-CHAN SIX YEARS AGO WAS...
HIS APPEARANCE HASN'T CHANGED THAT MUCH BUT HE SEEMS REALLY DIFFERENT
HE WAS SO CUTE BACK THEN
HIS VOICE AND FACE TOO

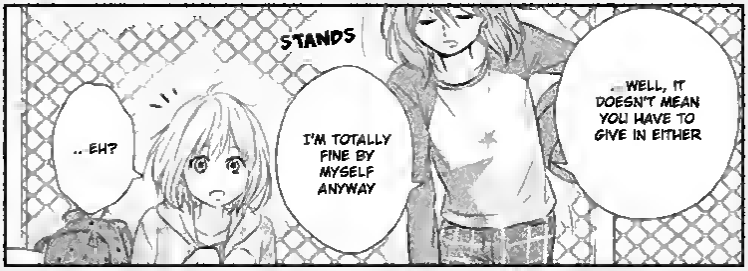
FWOMP
!!
ROLL
ROLL
PUDDLE OF WATER
APPEARS
AH
THERE IT IS
ALRIGHT
JUMPS
WOAH

TWITCH
...HM?
AH?
COULD THAT BE...
TEARS DRIPPING
WHAAA AAA!!!


S-S-S-SORRY! I'M REALLY SORRY!
I... WORKED SO HARD ON THAT...
EH...!? I-
I'M REALLY SORRY..!
IT WAS SUPPOSED TO BE A SYMBOL OF ME BEING CHOSEN AS THE CLASS REPRESENTATIVE, AND COMING IN 1ST PLACE...
GYAAAAAH!
S-SORRY WON'T CUT IT, RIGHT? W-WHAT SHOULD I DO!?
NO, I'LL DEFINITELY DO SOMETHING ABOUT THIS SO...
GRABS
EH
RIPS
RIPS
SORRY...
...IT'S FINE
CLENCH

EH?
...I WAS GOING TO THROW IT AWAY ANYWAY
SNIFF
IN MY FOURTH YEAR OF GRADE SCHOOL,
DUE TO A SMALL INCIDENT, I WAS DUBBED THE GIRL WHO WAS NUMBER ONE IN EVERYTHING IN THE CLASS
AND INSTEAD OF TRYING TO MAKE FRIENDS IN MY CLASS,
I MET AYA-CHAN HERE


THERE ARE GIRLS LIKE THAT AT MY SCHOOL TOO
IT'S LIKE THEY'LL NEVER BE SATISFIED UNLESS THEY ATTACK YOU
THAT SOUNDS LIKE A REAL PAIN THE BUTT


STANDS
.. EH?
I'M TOTALLY FINE BY MYSELF ANYWAY
.. WELL, IT DOESN'T MEAN YOU HAVE TO GIVE IN EITHER

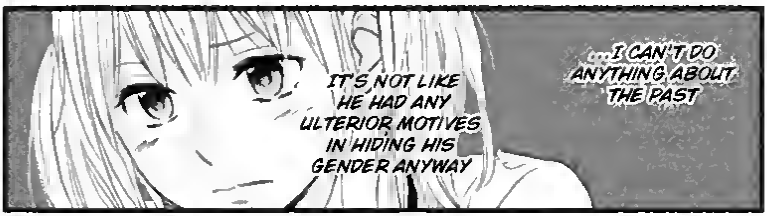
COULD IT BE, YOU'RE THE SAME AS ME!?

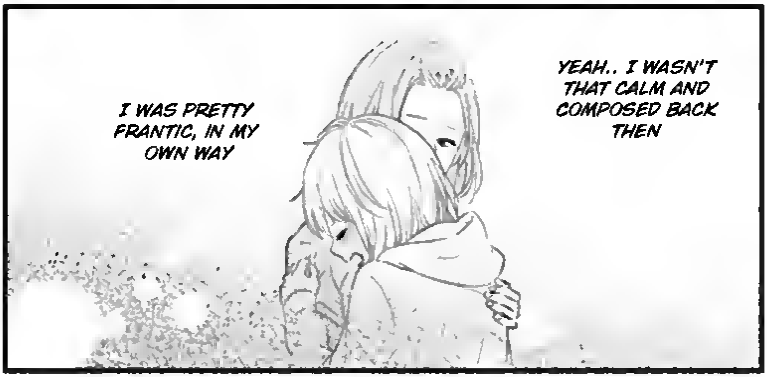
ARE WE...
'THE SAME'?
YUP
I WONDER WHY
AYA-CHAN NEVER TOLD ME HE WAS A BOY?
I DON'T WANT TO GO TO SCHOOL!
I WANT TO BE WITH YOU FOREVER, AYA-CHAN!...

WAIT..
... HIM?
SINCE I ALWAYS THOUGHT AYA-CHAN WAS A GIRL, I DID A LOT OF STUFF WITH HIM...
COME TO THINK OF IT...
BEING PLAYFUL
HOLDING HANDS
JOKING AROUND
AHHHH!
UGH
AND TALKING
... AYA-CHAN, HAS THAT COME YET?
HM? WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
YOU KNOW, THAT THING
... THE ONE ALL THE GIRL'S GET
YOU'VE GOTTA BE MORE SPECIFIC

PLEASE MAKE ME FORGET THAT!!!
wave
wave
wave
wave
PLEASE MAKE ME FORGET THAT!!!
GYAAAAAH!
HEY... SOMETHING'S OVER THERE
YEAH, SOMETHING WEIRD IS OVER THERE!
WOW...
THIS IS SURPRISING

SIGH
SIGH
WELL, HE COULDN'T REALLY COMPLAIN WHEN I'D RANDOMLY HUG HIM OUT OF NOWHERE...
MY CAMERA'S READY
SNEAK
SNEAK
LET'S KEEP WATCHING A LITTLE WHILE LONGER. I BET SOMETHING INTERESTING IS GOING TO HAPPEN
YEAH
WOULDN'T A VIDEO BE BETTER IN THIS SITUATION?


IT'S NOT LIKE HE HAD ANY ULTERIOR MOTIVES IN HIDING HIS GENDER ANYWAY
...I CAN'T DO ANYTHING ABOUT THE PAST


I WAS PRETTY FRANTIC, IN MY OWN WAY
YEAH.. I WASN'T THAT CALM AND COMPOSED BACK THEN

IT'S STILL A PRECIOUS MEMORY FOR ME...
"YOU'LL GET STRONGER TOO IF YOU HAVE SOMETHING THAT'S IMPORTANT TO YOU, MITSUKI."
...MY DAD FOUND WORK IN AMERICA SO I'M GOING TO BE MOVING THERE
I'M PLANNING TO KEEP PLAYING BASKETBALL OVER THERE TOO
I WAS REALLY SADDENED BY THAT BUT
"DO YOUR BEST OVER HERE TOO, MITSUKI."

AYA-CHAN REALLY DID TRY HIS BEST
TEARS UP
SHE'S CRYING!!!
SNIFF
SNIFF

HE'D DEFINITELY SAY THAT
SNIFF
RUB
I HAVEN'T CHANGED AT ALL...
EH
Y-YOU WERE THE ONE TAKING PHOTO'S, RIGHT..!?
IT WAS KYOUSUKE WHO SAID TO TAKE A VIDEO!
NO, WE DIDN'T SEE IT COMING SO...
CALM DOWN
WHAT'RE YOU DOING?
IN THE MIDDLE OF CAUSING A COMMOTION
YOU'RE EARLY TODAY !
NANA-SAN!
...AH
HM? WHERE'S TOWA?
REALLY?
NO,..! MITSUKI LOOKED LIKE SHE WAS FEELING DOWN SO WE WERE THINKING OF SOMETHING TO CHEER HER UP...!
AH...! DON'T TELL ME YOU'RE PICKING ON MITSUKI?

I WONDER IF MY EYES ARE RED... HE'LL DEFINITELY FIND OUT THAT I'VE BEEN CRYING ..
YOU'RE PRETTY EARLY TODAY
D-DID YOU COME BY YOURSELF??
YOU SURPRISED ME!
WHA...!

... UH HEY
I WANT YOU TO GO OUT WITH ME

...HUH?
...I WANT YOU TO GO OUT WITH ME
I WANT YOU TO-
...EH!?
SO...?

SO HE MEANT GOING OUT TO PLAY BASKETBALL WITH HIM HUH...
I SHOULD HAVE SEEN THIS COMING
WHY AM I PLAYING BASKETBALL NOW ...?
IT'S TO CHEER YOU UP
EH??
HE JUST WANTED TO SHOW HIS COOL SIDE TO NANA-CHAN
SHH!
STOP TRYING TO BE SO COOL
IT'S TOWA'S IDEA

BUT BASKETBALL IS REALLY FUN, SO I'M SURE IT'LL CHEER YOU UP
WANT TO PLAY?
YOU CAN USE THIS!
NO...!
SHH!!
I'LL BE WATCHING!
AH, I SEE...
OH, THANKS
OKAY...
...BUT I'M NOT REALLY GOOD AT BASKETBALL...
DON'T WORRY, WE'RE NOT EXPECTING ANYTHING BIG
JUST TRY SHOOTING

FWOOSH
THEN HERE I GO
OKAY...
GULP
BAM
!!!

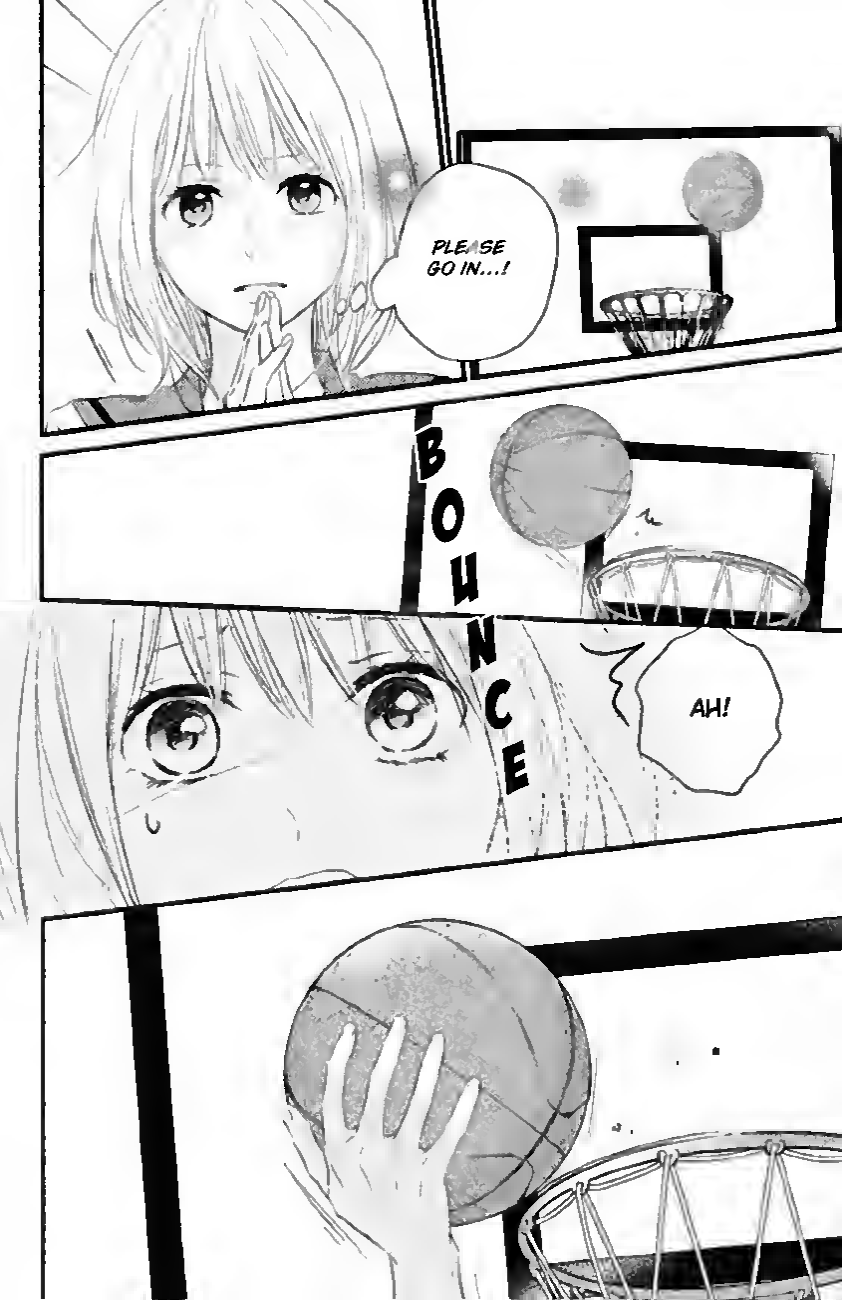
T-THAT WAS A DIRECT ATTACK...
ARE YOU OKAY!?
I'M SO SORRY ASAKURA -KUN...!
IF YOU'RE GOING TO PASS TO ME, YOU SHOULD'VE SAID SOMETHING
NO, THAT WASN'T SUPPOSED TO BE A PASS JUST NOW...
SORRY
AHAHAHAHAHA
WELL WE'RE HAVING A BLAST OVER HERE
YEAH, YOU'RE THE BEST...!
YEAH! YOU GUYS SHOULD BE LAUGHING AT ME INSTEAD...!
WHY ARE THEY LAUGHING AT ME ANYWAY...?
THAT'S WHAT I KEEP TELLING THEM ...
ALRIGHT, I'LL TEACH YOU, MITSUKI
words cafe.

HM?
THAT MUST BE NICE, IT LOOKS LIKE A LOT OF FUN
WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT? YOU'RE STILL YOUNG
YEAH, I WANTED TO EXPERIENCE THAT KIND OF YOUTH
OH, MITSUKI AND THEM?
I'LL HAVE A LOT OF FUN TOO...
BUT MAYBE IF I WENT OUT WITH ONE OF THEM,
YEAH.

BAM
I WAS SO CLOSE!
AH!
I'M JUST KIDDING!
HAHA!
EH!?
OKAY, THEN I'LL FINISH WITH THIS LAST ONE!
NODS
AH, THAT'S A STRONG RESPONSE!
YOU SURE YOU CAN MAKE IT?
IT'LL START GETTING DARK TOO
SHOULDN'T SHE GET IT IN SOON?
THANKS!
BUT IT'S GOING IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION NOW!
YEAH, SHE'S IMPROVED QUITE A BIT
GOOD JOB

A WISH HUH...
EH...!?
REALLY!?
THEN IF YOU GET IT IN, THERE'LL BE A SURPRISE WAITING FOR YOU, MITSUKI
I STILL DO THAT NOW THOUGH
LIKE IF WE GET IT IN, OUR WISH WOULD COME TRUE!
WE USED TO DO IT QUITE A LOT WHEN WE WERE KIDS, RIGHT?
GLANCE
LET'S SEE...

I'D LIKE TO GROW TOO
TO AN EXTENT WHERE
I'LL MAKE YOU NOTICE ME
WHOOSH


PLEASE GO IN...!
BOUNCE
AH!

CLUNK

CREAK
STANDS
TREMBLE
TREMBLE
AH...
I DID IT...!
THAT'S...

AMAZING,
ASAKURA-KU-
TOWAAA AAAAAA!
DASH!?

THEY BUTTED IN
AH
I JUST DID IT ON A WHIM ACTUALLY
THAT WAS AMAZING. SINCE WHEN COULD YOU DO A DUNK?
SAY WHAT? THAT WAS STILL PRETTY COOL THOUGH
I WANT TO TRY TOO!
AH, ME TOO
AH
YOU WON'T KNOW UNLESS YOU TRY. RIGHT?
BUT IT MIGHT BE IMPOSSIBLE FOR YOU RUI SINCE YOU'RE TINY.
TINY!?
SNEAKILY

IT LOOKS LIKE I'LL STILL END UP EXPECTING THINGS TO HAPPEN,
EVEN IF THEY SAY MY WISH WILL COME TRUE

I WAS PLANNING TO ENDURE IT UNTIL THE INTER-HIGH IF IT DIDN'T GO IN THOUGH ...
WHOOSH
AH
...IT GOT IN
GUESS I'LL GO
SEE HER THEN

Woah~
SO MANY PRETTY MANGA
Wan
AND SCANLATE ALL YOUR FAVORITE SHOUJO MANGA!
THIS IS WHERE THE SUMMER RAIN TEAM DO THEIR MAGIC
Welcome to Summer Rain~!
WHAT?! THEN WHY ARE YOU DOING THIS?
YEAH IT'S NOT LIKE WE GET PAID TO TRANSLATE MANGA FOR YOU
Summer Rain
AH, BUT WAIT IF YOU WANT TO READ MORE CUTE SHOUJO MANGA, YOU HAVE TO HELP US SOMEHOW
OKAY?
Sign me up!
YEAH ALL YOU HAVE TO DO IS GO TO OUR WEBSITE
IN FACT, MOST OF THIS MANGA WORK REQUIRES PEOPLE WHO KNOW HOW TO USE PHOTOSHOP!
Even if you don't know how to use Photoshop, you can help by donating as well!
BUT YOU KNOW YOU DON'T HAVE TO KNOW JAPANESE TO HELP US
I feel so bad for always asking them for faster updates!
I CAN'T BELIEVE IT! THEY ACTUALLY DEDICATE THEIR FREE TIME TO BRING MANGA JUST FOR ME!
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